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**PATENT APPLICATION**

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136**

Assistant Commissioner of Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicants hereby petition for an extension of time of one month(s), extending the time for responding to the Office Action of June 19, 1996 to October 19, 1996.

A check for the statutory fee of \$110. attached. Please charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or § 1.17 necessary to keep this application pending in the Patent and Trademark Office or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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